

CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS

If you wish to provide a poinsettia for our Christmas Eve Services ... please fill out the form below and place it in the offering plate or mail to the church office (PO Box 226), **along with your check.** We are purchasing the poinsettias from London Florist. **DEADLINE for placing your order is Tuesday, November 7, 2023.** We will order a variety of colors for the Christmas season. Or, you can make a memorial gift to the Generation to Generation Fund.

6" Potted POINSETTIA ORDERS

Given in Honor Of:

Given in Memory Of:

to be picked up after 7:30 service: _____ # to be donated: _____

TOTAL # _____ poinsettias ordered X \$14.00 each for a total of \$_____

Given By:

_____ Phone: _____

SPECIAL GIFT FOR GENERATION TO GENERATION FUND

Given in Honor Of:

Given in Memory Of:

Amount Enclosed: \$_____

Given By:

_____ Phone _____

ANNOUNCEMENTS



October 15, 2023
First Presbyterian Church
London, Ohio

IMPORTANT DATES

- Oct. 15: Membership Committee meeting, after the service
- Oct. 18: Session meeting
- Oct. 22: Blessing of the Animals, front lawn of the church, 1:00 PM

LOVING KINDNESS MEAL on October 16:

The church is hosting the Loving Kindness meal this Monday, October 16. If you have volunteered to help serve, plan to meet at the church by 2:00 on Monday.

If you have any questions, please contact Debbie Blaho at 614-736-5126, or email her at dblaho@columbus.rr.com.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION WANTS TO HEAR FROM YOU!

Do you have a moment to share? We would love to hear what resources you use at home for your devotional or Bible study time.

For example, Christian Education members use the Daily Word subscription, todaydevotional.com, The Bible Project App, and Proverbs 31 online Bible Study classes. How about you?

Please share with CE members the books, websites, apps, etc. you go to for growing in your faith during the week. Christian Education will compile the information received and share it with our church family. Thank you! Melissa Canney, Paul Oswalt, Gina Wells, and Gailyn Whipple.

MARTHA GEIB SCHOLARSHIP

We are getting ready for the Martha Geib Online Auction which will be the first Saturday in November. The money raised in Martha's memory is donated to London Schools and Madison Plains for scholarships for seniors who embodied Martha's belief of giving back to their community.

As always, we are looking for anyone who would like to donate to the auction either with items or with a gift of money. Please feel free to contact Stephanie Huddleston 740-506-0012 or you can email her at rshuddleston@columbus.rr.com with questions.

PRAYER LINE

All requests to be submitted to Shelley Jones at shelley.j.jones8@gmail.com or 614-425-7570. For now, you can still send emails to sjbailey19@gmail.com.

Due to privacy issues, please make sure any prayer request is with consent of the person concerned. Let the pastor know when her presence is needed. If you wish to have prayer concerns lifted during the worship service, please email the church office.



You and your family are invited to **Trunk Or Treat** night at the church! It will be on **Friday, October 27** from **4:30-6:30pm**.

If you would like to volunteer to pass out candy, please contact the church at 740-852-1215 or email londonfirstpres@gmail.com. Please feel free to dress up and/or decorate your car!

We are also going to invite the children from the PCC. Invite your friends and neighbors. We are hoping to have a big turn out and would love to see you there!

CHRISTMAS FLOWERS

Before you know it, the Advent season will be upon us. In preparation for this, we will be offering poinsettias for the Christmas season. If you would like to order a 6" pot, your order will need to be in by November 7.

The order form can be found on the back of the announcements. If you order a poinsettia, remember that it can be taken home after the 7:30 pm Christmas Eve service...or you can choose to make a donation to the Generation to Generation Fund in honor or in memory of someone. You can place your order & payment/donation in the offering plate or mail to the church. Thank you.

A NOTE FROM THE PERSONNEL COMMITTEE

The Personnel Committee is forming a short-term subcommittee to create a new job description for the Christian Education director. If you would like to serve on this subcommittee, please contact Hope Smith at [hopemiller1994@gmail.com](mailto:hopenmiller1994@gmail.com).